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E.O. 11652 - N/A
TAGS: OEXC, ES (ROMERO, MATIAS)
SUBJ: INTERNATIONAL VISITOR PROGRAM

FOR CU/ARA

PART 1 - NOMINATION/JUSTIFICATION

1. NAME: MATIAS ROMERO COTO

2. SIGNIFICANT POSITIONS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS: PAST:

1968-70 PRESS AND INFORMATION CHIEF, ORGANIZATION
CENTRAL AMERICAN STATES.

1971-74 DIRECTOR, NATIONAL LIBRARY

PRESENT: CONGRESSMAN ("LEGISLATIVE DEPUTY")

3. PERSONAL DATA:

DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH: FEBRUARY 24, 1927, CHALATENANGA
EL SALVADOR

PRESENT CITIZENSHIP: SALVADORAN
ANY PREVIOUS CITIZENSHIP: NONE

4. TRAVEL ABROAD:
TO US: THREE MONTHS TO STUDY

TO OTHER COUNTRIES: 1970 2 WEEKS CONGRESS IN PUERTO RICO
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1973 2 WEEKS CONGRESS IN SPAIN

5. PREVIOUS US GOVERNMENT GRANT: NONE

6. ESCORT SERVICES: CANDIDATE SPEAKS SOME ENGLISH BUT WILL NEED AN INTERPRETER.

7. VISA ELIGIBILITY ESTABLISHED.

8. REASONS FOR NOMINATION: THIS MAN IS A LEADER IN THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY FOR THE GOVERNING PARTY. HE IS IN AN EXCELLENT POSITION TO INFLUENCE SALVADORAN LEGISLATION, INCLUDING REFORM LEGISLATION AND THE VERY FUTURE OF DEMOCRACY IN THIS NATION. WE FEEL THAT AN INTENSIVE EXPOSURE TO THE US SYTEM OF GOVERNMENT WOULD ASSIST HIM IN MAKING THESE DECISIONS.

9. POST ESTIMATE OF NOMINEE'S AVAILABILITY DATES FOR US PROGRAM:
MARCH 23 OR MARCH 30.
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